SUMMER COMMENCEMENT 1979

UNIVERSITY OF NEW ORLEANS

Thursday, August 2, 1979

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Health and Physical Education Center

A Member of the Louisiana State University System

COMMENCEMENT CEREMONIES have a long history as the most formal and ritualistic part of the academic year. Universities as we know them began in Europe during the Middle Ages, and much of the costume and formality of the commencement reflects those distant days.

Like the military of medieval times with their pages, squires and knights, the academic world has long had three basic grades of dignity and achievement. These are undergraduates, bachelors and masters (or doctors). The difference between masters and doctors is comparatively recent; both imply the right to teach.

Academic dress in the United States is based on that worn in England in late medieval and early renaissance times and retained at Oxford and Cambridge with few changes since. However, here in America a fairly standardized heraldry or color code has been agreed upon.

As might be expected, doctors, who outrank the rest, turn out to be the most colorful people in any academic procession. The color in the master's costume is restricted to the hood worn around the neck and down the back. This is edged with a velvet of a color which indicates the degree received and lined with silk of the colors of the degree granting institution. Thus the master's hood from the University of New Orleans is black, lined in silver and blue and edged in white velvet for Arts, light blue for Education, golden yellow for Science, olive drab for Business Administration, and orange for Engineering.

Doctors have a larger and more open hood and, in addition, have black or colored velvet on the sleeves and front of the gown itself. Thus, a Doctor of Philosophy will have a dark blue velvet-edged gown and hood and a gold tassel on the mortar-board cap. In recent years, some universities have broken away from the scheme and allowed their doctors to wear brighter, more original costumes: for instance, Yale's blue with black trim and Harvard's crimson and black. Part of the reason for distinctive costume in earlier times was that proper deference could more readily be paid to dignitaries by the remainder of the academic community.

The University of New Orleans, then LSUNO, held its first commencement in a tent erected near the Liberal Arts Building. On that day, some four years after the University opened, 115 bachelor's degrees were conferred. For the next six years the University held its commencement at the Municipal Auditorium. In 1969 the commencement returned to the campus being held in the newly constructed Health and Physical Education Center, the first suitable facility to accommodate so large a gathering. A winter commencement was added in 1970 to accommodate the increasing number of graduates of Louisiana's second largest institution of higher education and in 1972 the first summer commencement was held.

The 1974 spring commencement was the first under the banner of the University of New Orleans. The name was officially changed February 2, 1974, by the LSU System Board of Supervisors. In order to avoid limiting attendance, two commencements in one day were scheduled for the first time December 20, 1974.

UNO awarded its first master's degrees to six graduate students in 1965 and its first Doctor of Philosophy degree in 1967. To date, 71 associate degrees, 13,587 bachelor's degrees, 2,904 master's degrees and 135 doctoral degrees have been awarded by UNO.

ACADEMIC HONORS

The University of New Orleans recognizes students who attain academic honors in either of two manners.

A student may pursue the normal curriculum of a subject area and obtain honors standing by virtue of high grades. There are three designations in this category: *summa cum laude* (with the highest praise), which requires an overall grade-point average of 3.960-4.000; *magna cum laude* (with great praise), which requires an overall grade-point average of 3.860-3.959; and *cum laude* (with praise), requiring an average of 3.760-3.859.

A student may also follow a special curriculum in one of several areas and by maintaining a high grade-point average in this curriculum graduate *with honors in* _____ (the particular field). In addition to taking the designated curriculum the student must maintain a grade-point average of at least 3.50 in the subject area and at least 3.25 in all work taken.

We are pleased to recognize the following students as honor graduates at this commencement:

Lisa Marie Dugas
Magna Cum Laude

Donna Marie Walther
Magna Cum Laude

Teresa Certoma Wagner
Magna Cum Laude

Kip James Kreutz
Cum Laude

Debra Ann Walther
Magna Cum Laude

Cindy Villavaso Murphy
Cum Laude

PROGRAM

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**It is customary for the audience to stand during the processional, national anthem, and invocation, and again at the end of the ceremony until the recessional is over.*

College of Business Administration

Associate of Science Degree

Gail Patrice Duronslet

Karen Mary Smith

Bachelor of Science Degree

Herbert Jude Anderson
Darryl Glenn Andrews
Gary Wayne Ates
John Julius Baradell
Brian Curtis Barker
Anita Maria Lowery Barrett
Robert Randall Barrett
Michelle Joyce Barron
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Silvia Norma Castillo
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Thomas Edward Comstock
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Dennis Charles Hemelt
Donald P. Henriques
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Elia Iriarte
Jan K. Jennings
Gregory Michael Johns
Brenda Gail Johnson
Gayle Daniel Johnson
John Leon Johnson
Dawn Maria Kluchin
Kenneth Edward Krawczyk
Leta Mericia Landgraf
George Thomas Laurent
Gary Charles Lubrano
Brian Thomas Maestri
Patricia Ann Mahoney
Rory Anthony Molezion
Gregory Andrew Mondello
Diane Louise Farrens Mooney
Jimmy Simeon Olaghere
Mahfuz Rahman
Jann Sartor Reynolds
Jean Elizabeth Riggins
Ken Eugene Robb
Mark Christian Sarrat
David Jacob Satter
Jerry Edward Shaw
Ronald Richard Shultz
Janice Mary Catalano Stoltman
Karen Ann Treuting
Debra Ann Walther
Magna Cum Laude
Donna Marie Walther
Magna Cum Laude
Lowell Albert Ybos, Jr.
Stephen Michael Young
Richard Daniel Zellner

College of Education

Bachelor of Arts Degree

Kay Malone Adams
Natalie Ann Bonneval
Harvey Jean-Paul Cyrus, Sr.
Debbie Dale
Lisa Marie Dugas
Magna Cum Laude
Lisa Louise Faust
Linda Marie George
Wanda Ann Guillory
Carolyn Marie Kane
Mary Catherine Kane
Marie Elaine Kocke
Lynne B. Kullman
Ronald Edward Lenfant, Jr.

Barbara Lucore
Karen Ann Altmann Meyers
Catherine Mary Minks
Sharon Theresa Mitchell
Cindy Villavaso Murphy
Cum Laude
Sabrina Marie Payton
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Lisa Lee Riemer
Arlene Gonzalez Romo
Elena Gomez Steele
Louis Francis Valdin, Jr.
Teresa Certoma Wagner
Magna Cum Laude
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Sandra Marie White

Bachelor of Science Degree

Brian Arthur Donahue
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Evangeline Myra McKay
Brenda Farmer Smill

School of Engineering

Bachelor of Science Degree

Daniel Gerard Barrios
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Hossain Moghareh, Abed
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College of Liberal Arts

Bachelor of Arts Degree

Rose Marie Alvarado
Wondra May Chang Bilbe
David Richard Boitmann
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Phyllis Ann Buchanan
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Suzanne Marie Callac
Jennifer Ann Cantrelle
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Jan Mary Johnson
Kip James Kreutz
Cum Laude
Thaweechai Lertjeraprasert
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Oliver Joseph Stentz, Jr.
Iris S. Turner
Stanley George Ungar
Jo Griffin Webb
John Scott Williams
Michele Marie Wolf
Giuliana Elena Zlatar

College of Sciences

Bachelor of Arts Degree

Rajeswara Rao Bhandaru
Ronnie James Bouchon
Michael Steven Dale Chosa
John Steven Cooper
Richard Spurgeon DeBuys
Steven William Grannis
David Lee Hargis
Stephen C. Iannazzo
Kris Sue Kelmell
Glen Joseph Kesler
Robert Louis Lamb
Brian David Lee
Andrew Ollen Montz, Jr.
Glenn R. Phelps
Robert Michael Porter
Randolph Louis Rodrigue
Kathleen Ann Rooney
Joycelyn McLeod Rouzan
Robert Gerard Simon
Thomas Joseph Sintes
Starr Ann Steckler
Lori Long Trommer
David Markum Ybos

Bachelor of Science Degree

Margaret Albert
Howard Smith Barr
William Leonard Bart, Jr.
Ronald Paul Bernadas, Jr.
Wendy Lestelle Caillouet
Deborah Maria Cambre
Denise A. Drivon
David Philip Garman
Carmen Griffin
Ronald Joseph Gustafson
Robert Hartley Ketteringham
Mary Beth Kieffer
Margaret B. Kostmayer
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Louaine P. Luke Spriggs
James Richard Strahan

General Studies

Bachelor of General Studies Degree

Terry James Dempre
Lauren Ann Pettingill
Granville Martin Semmes III

Graduate School

Master of Arts Degree

Caryn A. Bell
Bruce Antonio Clough
Craig Joseph Forsyth
Melinda Ann Gann Hall
John Henry Mehrtens, Jr.
Elizabeth Marie Mialaret
Karin Louise Peterson
Stephanie Brett Samuel
Stephen Wheeler Slaughter
Kim R. Steinke

Master of Business Administration Degree

Elizabeth Robin Ashin
Craig R. Bohn
Michael Joseph Borne
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Kevin Edmund Dwyer
Robert S. Landry
Nong-jer Frank Lee
Nelwyn Hutchinson Martin
Raymond Joseph Munna
George Nikos Simopoulos
Thomas A. Solak
Ralph J. Watts

Master of Education Degree

Patricia Ann Walker Barges
Lois Larose Beoubay
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Alberto Andres Deschapelles
Gretchen Celeste Dodd
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Bessye Smith Edwards
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Bonita Marie Greco
Catherine Anita Dessomes Hauck
Laetitia Ann Haines Hawkins
Pamela Cassagne Hebert
Patricia Marie Hebert
Carol Bennerfield Hoadley
Sister Patricia Ann Horlock, C.S.J.
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Elizabeth Anne Kaack
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Tommye Ann Kimble
Pamela Lee Krennerich
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Master of Science Degree

Eric Watson Barton
James Michael Grady
Jane Ann Junot
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Steven Gilbert Little
Herbert Karl Mayer
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James Richard Renner
Janet McHugh Smith
Charles Wilson Wickstrom

Master of Public Administration Degree

Robert Louis Dupont

Master of Urban and Regional Planning Degree

Thomas Dodge Fox
Pandora Patricia Grewe
Richard Dalton Minvielle
Stephen Jay Wooley

Master of Fine Arts Degree

Susan Uter Daly
Phillip Lee Haynie
A. Blake Taylor

Doctor of Education Degree

John Neal Peebles

An Investigation of the Relationship Between the Needs Satisfaction of Dental Educators and Participative Group Management in Dental Schools.

Russell John Protti

A Comparative Analysis of a Model with the Supervisory Techniques of Observations and Conferences as Perceived by Middle, Junior High and High School Teachers, Principals and Supervisors

Doctor of Philosophy Degree

Sung-Ping Bing Chen

Analytical and X-ray Methods for Biologically Active Compounds

Sai-Keung Chiu

Cyclizations of Propynyl Compounds: A Synthesis of 2,4-Imidazolidinediones (Hydantoins)

Timothy John Dempsey

Chromatography of Amines

Joan Marano Hodges

A Study of Anxiety Level of Mothers of Exceptional Children as a Function of Physical Exercise and Relaxation Exercises

Cenan Ahmet Ozmeral

Part I. Synthesis and Chemistry of Thiadiaziridine 1,1-Diozides.
Part II. Synthesis of Bis-Bicyclo 2.2.2 Octyldiazene.

Lawrence Lamar Sorensen

Multi-Obstacle Scattering of Acoustic Waves

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